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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: RISK ADJUSTED METHOD FOR COMPUTING

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1. Enclosed are:

A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by inventor

Statement of Small Entity Status signed by inventor

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N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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